

November

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FROM YOUR WATER AND WASTEWATER ASSOCIATION

2019

Annual Meeting a Success—Dinner, Discussion and Done



More than 200 members attended the annual meeting on Oct. 10th at the Clubhouse at Nature Pointe. Cooks from the Owl Café served their famous green chile cheese burgers starting at 4:30 pm when members started arriving. Entranosa

Water received a record number of ballots, which handily returned board members Linda Barbour and Paul Gorder to the Board of Directors for three-year terms. Lee Liggett, the board chair, called the meeting to order at 5:45 pm, though voting remained open until 6 pm. After discussions, which covered the Entranosa budget (sound), the sustainability of water in the Estancia Basin (very sustainable) and the necessity to improve water distribution to members living south of I-40, (very necessary), the business meeting adjourned in less than 1 hour. Everyone appreciated the dinner and the early end at 6:45 pm. CEO Jack Crider said Entranosa's challenge remains maintaining equipment and "keeping water flowing under very difficult conditions."



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Ballot Breakdown

239 members cast votes for the Board of Directors. Here is the breakdown:

Loren de Azevedo	32
Linda Barbour	128
Paul Gorder	167
John Panitz	44
David Smith	80

Thank You Members for Your Trust!



Linda Barbour and Paul Gorder were returned to the Entranosa Water & Wastewater Board of Directors by an overwhelming margin. As shown by the breakdown above, Linda and Paul received a majority of the votes cast by members. Paul has served 20 years on the Entranosa Board of Directors and will serve another three-year term. Linda enters her third term on the Board. She said she wants to see Entranosa continue to "serve our community with high-quality water at an affordable price."

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Office Hours:

Monday 9:00 am – 4:30 pm

Tuesday – Friday 8:00 am – 4:30 pm

Entranosa is an equal-opportunity employer.

- ◇ **Reliably supply quality drinking water at a reasonable price to our membership, such that the Association is self-sustaining**
- ◇ **Promote water conservation**
- ◇ **Provide leadership for our Community concerning water and wastewater issues**
- ◇ **Protect our ground water resources through environmentally responsible business practices**
- ◇ **Pursue water & wastewater service opportunities in the East Mountain and Estancia Basin Regions**

**ENTRANOSA'S
MISSION
STATEMENT**



ENTRANOSA WATER NEWS

Committed to Providing Safe, Clean Water to All Our Members



Entranosa Water's 10/28/19 Hardness Reading: 30 grains

Average Water Usage: October 8,346 gallons; gallons Sept. 8,990

A Message from Bernalillo County Commissioner Charlene Pyskoty

Greetings!

I hope this letter finds you and your family warm and well as we approach the holiday season.

I would like to take this opportunity to clarify the right-of-way ordinances that were passed by the Bernalillo County Commission on August 20, 2019. These two ordinances only apply to PNM and NM Gas Co. in unincorporated Bernalillo County. It DOES NOT affect customers of Entranosa or of any other utility.

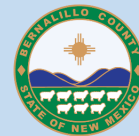
This process began long before I took office. The right-of-way fees are the settlement of litigation on the original ordinance, negotiated to a mutually agreed upon court-approved settlement. This ordinance brings unincorporated Bernalillo County into alignment with the fees that Albuquerque residents have been already paying for years. Right-of-way franchise fees are clearly earmarked for roads, which is essential for the East Mountains.

To help answer any questions you might have about this or about taxes in Bernalillo County, I will be hosting a presentation by our County Treasurer, Nancy Bearce, on Tuesday, November 19, 6 pm, at Los Vecinos Community Center. Treasurer Bearce will also talk about the reason for the delay in property tax bills this year.

As always, you are welcome to contact me with any questions or comments by emailing me at District5@bernco.gov.

Sincerely,

Charlene Pyskoty, Bernalillo County Commissioner, District 5



Claim Prizes for Annual Meeting!

Pressure Gauges:

1.139501	11.139500	21.139549
2.139529	12.139492	22.139566
3.139530	13.139517	23.13956
4.139559	14.139510	24.139569
5.139504	15.139537	25.139585
6.139561	16.139495	26.139497
7.139558	17.139560	27.139565
8.139574	18.139551	28.139502
9.139484	19.139548	29.139538
10.139508	20.139540	30.139562

Hats:

1.139498	6.139544	11.139579
2.139506	7.139534	12.139552
3.139522	8.139490	13.139513
4.139536	9.139478	14.139582
5.139556	10.139533	15.139539

T-Shirts:

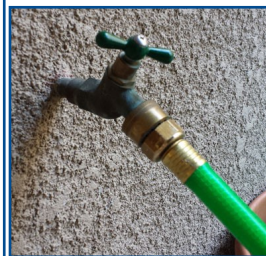
XL	Med	Lg.
1.139503	1.139479	1.139586
2.139578	2.139572	2.139491
3.139507	3.139554	3.139487
4.139515	4.139573	4.139(ticket torn)
5.139499	5.139545	5.139591
6.139580	6.139493	6.139485
7.139511	7.139512	7.139548

Bill Credits:

\$100.00 – 139527
\$75.00 – 139523
\$50.00 – 139505
\$25.00 – 139576



Prevent Hose Bibs from Freezing



Many members didn't remember to disconnect their hoses from the hose bibs before the October freeze. Did you know that a connected hose during freezing

weather may cause your frost-free hose bib to fail? Protect yourselves from expensive plumbing repairs by disconnecting your hoses at outdoor faucets after each use. Other causes for frozen pipes: garage doors left open or cracked, non-insulated pipes and open vent covers.

Closed for Thanksgiving Nov. 28 & 29

In honor of the national Thanksgiving observance, the Entranosa office will be closed Nov. 28 and 29. We will reopen at 9 am on Monday Dec. 2, 2019. The emergency number will be operational all weekend. If you have an emergency, call **505-604-5935**.



Entranosa's Board of Directors

Chair: Lee Liggett **Vice Chair:** Paul Gorder **Secretary:** Rob Baracker **Treasurer:** Dennis Hodges **Members:** CJ "Skip" Mead, Linda Barbour, Rik Thompson

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